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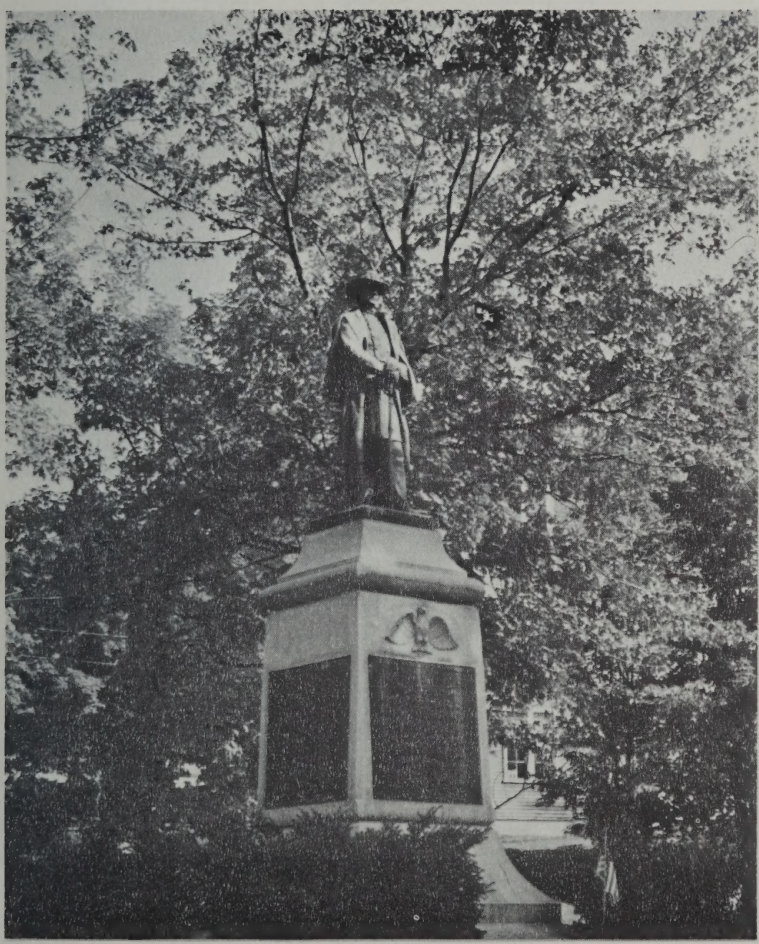
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TOWN MEETING

March 6, 1973

Polls Open from 9 A. M. to
not earlier than 7 P. M.
Business Meeting at 7 P. M.

On the cover:

The bronze figure on the Soldiers' Monument in Warner is a likeness of General Walter Harriman, born in Warner April 8, 1817. At the age of 23 he entered into the ministry and commenced preaching in Warner, but subsequently entered into trade, being associated with John S. Pillsbury. In 1849 he was chosen a representative from Warner. He saw distinguished service during the Civil War, was taken prisoner but exchanged and came home for a season. In 1864 he was active in the re-election of Abraham Lincoln. He returned to his regiment. At the close of the war he was chosen Secretary of State by the legislature, and elected Governor in 1867 and re-elected in 1868. He was active in the election of General Grant. Received the Honorary Degree of Master of Arts from Dartmouth College in 1867. Moved to Concord in 1872 and upon his retirement from political life he wrote the History of Warner which was published in 1879. Died July 25, 1884.

The monument was dedicated on July 2, 1903.

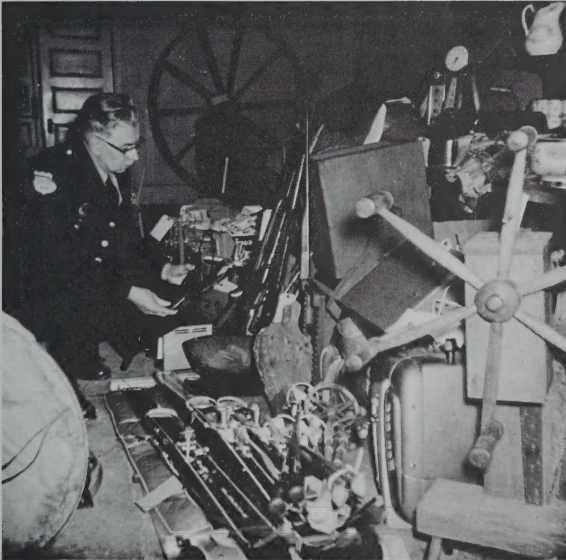
Annual Report of the
Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, and Tax Collector
of the

TOWN OF WARNER, New Hampshire

For the Year Ending December 31, 1971

Together with the Reports of the
WARNER VILLAGE FIRE DISTRICT, VITAL STATISTICS, ETC.

IN MEMORIAM



*Arthur Edward Starkweather
Nov. 23 1906 – June 18, 1972.*

*Appointed Acting Chief Warner
Police Department – 1961.*

Chief of Police 1962-1972.

*Picture at Warner Town Hall taking inventory of “some” of the
items recovered from a long series of burglaries in 1964.*

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

DONALD E. GARTRELL 1974

Selectmen

PAUL E. VIOLETTE 1973

WINFRED M. GRANDY 1974

PHILIP L. GERVAIS 1975

Office Secretary (Appointed)

BARBARA ANNIS 1973

Town Treasurer

THOMAS B. HENLEY 1973

Town Clerk

NELLIE M. DOW 1973

Tax Collector

BARBARA ANNIS 1973

Highway Agent (Appointed)

PHILIP A. ROGERS

Supervisors of Check List

JOHN E. MOTTRAM 1974

DOROTHY G. HARRIMAN 1976

BEVERLY S. HILL 1978

Fence Viewers (For life)

HORACE S. MARTIN

ORTON F. HILL

Almoners of the Foster and Currier Funds

THOMAS B. HENLEY 1975
 JOHN P.H. CHANDLER, JR. 1975
 ELMER J. BARTLETT 1975

Trustees of Pillsbury Free Library

MILDRED N. WHITE 1973
 ANNA M. ALLEN 1973
 GAYLE L. EASTLEY 1973
 JOHN EASTMAN 1974
 DAVID CARROLL 1974
 MARY MARTIN 1974
 RICHARD U. COGSWELL 1975
 MIRIAM E. SAVORY 1975
 JOSEPHINE P. BIGELOW 1975

Trustee of Trust Funds

WALTER P. MINER 1973
 ORTON HILL 1974
 JOHN P. H. CHANDLER, JR. 1975

Forest Fire Wardens (Appointed)

JOHN R. HILL, Chief

WILLIAM T. FENTON
 FREEMAN WEST
 THOMAS W. FENTON
 PAUL E. VIOLETTE
 GERALD B. COURSER

RUSSELL J. ELLSWORTH
 FRED COURSER, JR.
 L. EARL NICHOLS
 ALLISON P. MOCK
 CHARLES D. BEAN

Police Officers (Appointed yearly)

PETER CHALFANT, Chief
 MARTIN NOGUES, Sergeant

RANDALL WHITEHEAD
 RONALD DALRYMPLE

THOMAS CHANDLER
 WILLIAM JEWELL

Special Officers

JOHN E. MOTTRAM
 WILLIAM PROPER

FRED KEYSER, SR.
 OTTO FREDERICKS

JEANNE JEWELL—Matron

Dog Constable (Appointed)
RONALD DALRYMPLE

Auditors
JANET MOULTON 1973
WATER BRUNNER 1974

Superintendent of Cemeteries (Appointed yearly)
ROBERT B. CUTTING

Janitor of Town Hall (Appointed yearly)
CHARLES A. DOW

Planning Board
PAUL E. COLLINS, Chairman (Resigned) 1973
ROBERT WALKER (Appointed) 1973
PAUL E. VIOLETTE (Selectmens' Representative) 1973
EDNA BARTLETT 1974
GORDON L. SMITH 1975
THEODORE J. BLISS, Chairman 1976
GEORGE A. GUIMOND 1977
CHARLES EASTLEY 1978

Chandler Reservation Committee
JOHN P. H. CHANDLER, JR. 1973
THEODORE J. BLISS 1974
JOHN CONDE (Resigned) 1975
JOHN R. HILL 1978

Budget committee
CHARLES H. HEMPHILL 1973
THEODORE J. BLISS 1973
CHESTER MARTIN 1974
WALTER BRUNNER 1974
JOHN P. H. CHANDLER, JR. 1975
GERALD B. COURSER 1975
PAUL E. VIOLETTE Selectman
ANTHONY D. HAMILTON Precinct

Zoning Board of Adjustment

MANLEY A. GLANVILLE, Chairman 1973

DONALD E. GARTRELL, Clerk 1974

CALEB WHITON 1975

NANCY JEWELL (Resigned) 1976

THEODORE YOUNG (Appointed) 1976

CHESTER MARTIN 1977

Overseer of Public Welfare

PAUL D. MANNING 1973

Representative to the General Court

L. WALDO BIGELOW, JR. 1974

JOHN P. H. CHANDLER, JR. 1974

Highway Safety Committee (Appointed yearly)

PETER CHALFANT

MAURICE RANDALL

JAMES J. O'ROURKE

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

WILLIAM JEWELL

Health Officer

EILEEN LEVIS, M.D.

FIRE CHIEF

MAURICE F. RANDALL

Commissioners Warner Village Fire District

ANTHONY D. HAMILTON 1973

EMIL W. ALLEN, JR. (Resigned) 1974

ALFRED J. WHITE (Appointed) 1973

L. WALDO BIGELOW, JR. 1975

Warner Representative to
Kearsarge Regional School District

EDNA C. BARTLETT 1973

EDWARD J. McGRALE 1975

Cemetery Custodians
EMIL W. ALLEN, JR. 1973
CHARLES HEMPHILL 1974
JAMES J. O'ROURKE 1975

REPRESENTATIVES TO CENTRAL N. H.
REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION
CHARLES F. THOITS, III
RONALD J. LAWARE (Resigned)

Selectmen's Meeting:

The Selectmen hold their regular meetings on the second and last Tuesday of each month at 8:00 P.M.

INVENTORIES

The Selectmen will receive inventory blanks and hear parties regarding their liability to be taxed at the Town Office from 2 to 5 P.M. on Saturday, April 14, 1973. Note that no appeals for abatements can be considered unless a completed inventory blank has been filed with the Selectmen by April 15.

Board of Selectmen



WARRANT FOR THE TOWN MEETING

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Warner in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at The Town Hall in said Warner on Tuesday, the Sixth day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Polls to open at 9:00 A.M. and to close not earlier than 7:00 P.M. Articles in the warrant will be taken up at 7:00 P.M.

1. To choose all necessary town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 (Fifteen hundred Dollars) to be paid to a Capital Reserve Fund which shall be so named "New Cemetery Fund" for the purpose of improvements to the new cemetery.
3. To see if the town will vote to appropriate \$24,000.00 (Twenty-Four Thousand Dollars) for a new Highway Truck and equipment and authorize the withdrawal of \$22,000.00 (Twenty-Two Thousand Dollars) for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 with the balance to be raised by taxation.
4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a special unpaid Advisory Committee of three persons to be known as the Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Committee which will join with other towns on the Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Board. Such Committee shall make recommendations to Town Meeting for upgrading the town dump including, but not limited to, the advisability of joint action with other towns; and that the town appropriate \$430.00 (Four Hundred Thirty Dollars) as the Town's share of costs to undertake this work, conditional upon the terms set forth in the Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Board's proposed by-laws.
5. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to appoint a full-time Chief of Police and appropriate the sum of \$20,000.00 (Twenty Thousand Dollars) for the purpose of funding the salaries of the Chief of Police and part-time employees of the Police Department and the operating expenses of the department. (Submitted by Peitition).
6. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
7. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to borrow money in the anticipation of taxes on the note or notes of the Town.
8. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken for taxes.
9. To hear reports of the Officers of the Town heretofore chosen and Committees appointed and pass any vote relating thereto.
10. To see if the town will vote to designate as scenic roads, pursuant to New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated, Chapter 253, Section 17, the Burnt Hill Road, so-called, leading from the Lower Village in said Warner over Burnt

Hill to its junction with the Pumpkin Hill Road, so-called, thence by the said Pumpkin Hill Road to the Town Line at the Town of Salisbury. (Submitted by Petition).

11. To see if the town will vote to change the name of a street located in the Town of Warner now known as "Poverty Plains Road" to "Plains Road". (Submitted by Petition).

12. To see if the Town will vote to abandon all right and interest in that portion of the Public Highway serving as the easterly approach to the Ela Bridge, so-called, being that portion between the easterly shore of the Warner River and the westerly terminus of Mill Street at the junction of Mill Street and North Village Road, all right, title and interest of the town therein to revert to the abutting owners.

13. To see if the town will vote to accept by gift or token payment the land known as "Copp's Field" or "The Baseball Field" formerly owned by the Warner School District, now owned by Kearsarge Regional School District in event that an article be passed at the Kearsarge Regional School District Annual Meeting offering the above property to the Town of Warner and that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to work out the details of the transaction with the Kearsarge Regional School Board.

14. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this Thirteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventy-three.

Paul E. Violette
Winfred M. Grandy
Philip L. Gervais
Selectmen of Warner

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

Paul E. Violette
Winfred M. Grandy
Philip L. Gervais
Selectmen of Warner

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF WARNER, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue
for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1973 to December 31, 1973

Purpose of Appropriation	Appropriations	BUDGET COMMITTEE	
	Previous Fiscal Year	Spent	Recommended
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 6,525.00	\$ 6,452.80	\$ 6,987.34
Town Officers' Expenses	2,550.00	4,419.55	4,575.00
Election & Registration Expenses	450.00	1,324.07	900.00
Visiting Nurse Assoc.	1,898.75	1,898.75	2,003.75
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	5,200.00	5,534.51	5,730.00
Employees' Retiremens & Soc. Sec.	2,300.00	2,493.04	2,650.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:			
Legal Expense	175.00	109.20	275.00
Fire Dept. (inc. Forest Fires & Training)	5,246.85	5,849.68	6,582.50
Police Department	6,000.00	6,258.18	9,000.00
Care of Trees	300.00	385.88	400.00
Insurance	3,200.00	3,137.92	3,207.00
Planning & Zoning	250.00	86.04	250.00
Damages by Dogs	100.00	20.00	100.00
Civil Defense	75.00	-0-	75.00
HEALTH DEPT.:			
Vital Statistics	40.00	30.50	40.00
Hospitals & Ambulance	399.00	399.00	340.00
Dump Study	-0-	-0-	430.00*
Town Dump	2,500.00	2,277.28	2,500.00
HIGHWAYS & BRIDGES:			
Oiling	2,000.00	1,839.85	4,000.00
Town Maintenance - Summer & Winter	22,000.00	20,036.29	22,000.00
Street Lighting	2,600.00	2,746.41	3,000.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	15,608.96	13,005.92	15,300.00
Town Road Aid	1,471.85	1,471.85	1,456.65
LIBRARIES:			
	5,500.00	5,368.22	6,000.00
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Town Poor	1,500.00	1,800.00	2,000.00
Old Age Assistance & Disabled	2,000.00	2,466.50	2,500.00
PATROITIC PURPOSES			
Memorial Day, Etc.	300.00	300.00	300.00
RECREATION:			
	200.00	24.54	200.00
Aid to Soldiers Families	100.00	100.00	100.00
Cemeteries	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Advertising & Regional Assoc.	1,048.00	1,048.00	1,062.00
DEBT SERVICE:			
Principal & Long Term Notes & Bonds	13,862.00	13,862.00	7,000.00
Interest - Long Term Notes & Bonds	1,380.17	1,380.17	810.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	1,500.00	1,366.57	1,500.00

CAPITAL OUTLAY

New Equip: Fire Truck	31,000.00	-0-	-0-
New Equip: Highway Dept from Revenue Sharing Account (\$22,000) from other sources (\$ 2,000)	-0-	-0-	24,000.00
Highway Subsidy Expenses	-0-	20,133.34	20,027.76

PAYMENT TO CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS

New Cemetery Fund	-0-	-0-	1,500.00
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Total Appropriations	\$140,280.58	\$128,626.06	\$159,802.00*
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* = Not Recommended By Budget Committee

Sources of Revenue	Estimated Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Estimated Revenue Fiscal Year 1973
FROM STATE:			
Interest & Dividends Tax	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,937.93	\$ 12,000.00
Overpayment Resident Tax	-0-	378.00	-0-
Savings Bank Tax	1,800.00	2,130.14	2,500.00
Meals & Rooms Tax	6,000.00	7,641.97	8,500.00
Hedgehog Refund	-0-	7.50	-0-
Highway Subsidy	20,108.96	20,133.34	20,027.76
Fighting Forest Fires	100.00	39.51	230.00
TRA Refund	-0-	628.45	-0-
Reim. A/C Business Profits Tax (Town)	22,000.00	23,534.84	24,000.00
Reim. State & Federal Forest Lands	1,350.00	1,699.20	1,800.00
Reim. Gas Tax	700.00	690.63	1,200.00
Reim. A/C Business Profits Tax	-0-	-0-	4,220.00
Dog Licenses & Penalties	500.00	498.00	500.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	50.00	76.00	75.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	16,000.00	18,377.42	18,000.00
Interest on Taxes & Deposits	2,000.00	1,671.13	2,000.00
Income from Trust Funds	5.00	5.48	5.00
Int. on Investments	800.00	1,706.52	800.00
Insurance Claims	-0-	661.03	-0-
National Bank Stock Taxes	75.00	127.60	150.00
Resident Taxes Retained	2,500.00	3,547.50	4,000.00
Normal Yield Taxes Assessed	500.00	2,466.40	2,000.00
Rent of Town Property - Town Hall	200.00	90.00	200.00
Bear Pond Rent	100.00	50.00	100.00
Cemetery Lot	-0-	50.00	-0-
Hwy. incl. Rental of Equipment	300.00	161.81	200.00
Misc.	100.00	151.85	100.00
Income from Overpayment Precinct	-0-	500.00	-0-
Bond & Note Issues - Fire Truck	16,000.00	-0-	-0-
FROM FEDERAL SOURCES:			
Revenue Sharing	-0-	-0-	22,000.00
Refund Radio License	-0-	20.00	-0-
Total Revenue From All Sources	\$101,188.96	\$ 97,982.25	\$124,607.76
Amount To Be Raised By Property Taxes			\$34,764.24

Budget Committee:

Theodore J. Bliss - Chairman	John P. H. Chandler, Jr.
Charles H. Hemphill	Gerald B. Courser
Chester Martin	Paul E. Violette
Walter Brunner	Anthony D. Hamilton

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

More shade trees were again planted this year to replace the elm and maples that were diseased and had to be removed. Money is in the budget to continue this project.

Due to complications (no fault of the Firemen's Committee or the Board of Selectmen) the fire truck was not delivered this past year but we do have a guarantee of an early arrival this spring.

The Highway Department was kept busy replacing old bridges with either culverts or new bridges. Joppa Road was straightened and widened with culverts cleaned out, brush removed and old culverts replaced. Due to the fact that many formerly seasonal dwellings are now being occupied on a year-round basis considerable reconstruction and maintenance has been required on roads in the outlying districts. This being one reason by our TRA project on Schoodac Road was not continued this year. We intend to continue that project in 1973 and subsequent years until we have reached the Webster Town Line. During the past year the Highway Department has insulated the highway garage, installed a furnace and added new lighting in the building. We have also had gas and diesel fuel tanks installed.

The Chandler Reservation Committee has met a number of times and has issued a permit to do selective cutting of previously marked trees.

The painting of the interior of the town hall has been completed. It might be noted that the clock has been put back into operation after many years of rest. Improvements in the electrical system have been started and more improvements anticipated this year. Also some of the pipes in the heating system have been replaced and hope that this alleviates the banging noises.

Some members of the Board have attended various regional meetings consisting of the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region Association and the Central N.H. Regional Planning Commission. Selectmen Philip Gervais has represented the Town on the Central N.H. Regional Solid Waste Committee this past year. We would like to thank Charles Thoits and Ronald Laware (resigned) for the representation they have given the Town on the Central N.H. Regional Planning Commission. They have spent many hours studying and planning with other communities in the region and brought back a lot of useful information to us.

The Board of Selectmen have found it very difficult to fill vacancies on different boards and committees of the town. We hope to see and hear from more civic-minded citizens who would be interested in serving their community. Every year there are positions to be filled on the Zoning Board of Adjustment, Planning Board, Highway Safety Committee, Police Department, Regional Planning Commission and Solid Waste Study Committee. We are also looking for someone as janitor for the town hall.

Special mention should be made that Elmer J. Bartlett, who resigned from the Supervisors of the Check List during the year will be missed after serving in this position since November 1918.

We would like to thank everyone who has been of help to us during the past year. Your understanding and cooperation have made our tasks much easier.

Paul E. Violette
Winfred M. Grandy
Philip L. Gervais
Board of Selectmen

REVENUE SHARING FUND

Deposited Sugar River Savings Bank-Acct. 40285 \$7,627.00

Deposited under the law pending vote of the Town at the March 1973 Town Meeting.

Paul E. Violette
Winfred M. Grandy
Philip L. Gervais
Selectmen

Thomas B. Henley
Treasurer

TOWN MEETING – March, 1972

833 Names on Checklist
530 Ballots cast

Selectman for three years:

PHILIP L. GERVAIS

Trustee of Trust Funds (3 years):

JOHN P.H. CHANDLER, JR.

Three Almoners of Foster & Currier Funds (Elected every three years for three years):

ELMER J. BARTLETT

JOHN P. H. CHANDLER, JR.

THOMAS B. HENLEY

Three Library Trustees:

JOSEPHINE P. BIGELOW

RICHARD U. COGSWELL

MIRIAM E. SAVORY

One Chandler Reservation Committee Member:

JOHN R. HILL

Two Members Budget Committee (3 years):

JOHN P.H. CHANDLER, JR.

GERALD B. COURSER

Overseer of Public Welfare:

PAUL D. MANNING

Auditor (two years):

WALTER BRUNNER

New Cemetery Custodian (3 years):

JAMES J. O'ROURKE

Amendment to Constitution:

Voted to refuse the right of 18 year olds to vote and no one under 20 to hold office in the State.

Article 2. Purchase of fire truck: (Voted "yes"—164; "no"—23) \$15,000 to be raised by taxation in 1972; \$16,000 by note or notes, at \$8,000.00 annually plus interest until paid.

Article 3. \$140,280.58 to defray town expenses; \$39,091.62 to be raised by taxation (Voted “yes”—148; “no”—18)

Article 4. Voted to allow Selectmen and Treasurer to borrow money in anticipation of taxes. (Voted “yes”)

Article 5. Voted to sell property taken for taxes. (Voted “yes”)

Article 6. Voted to accept reports of officers and committees as presented in the Town Report. (Voted “yes”)

Article 7. Moderator to appoint within 60 days a Bi-Centennial Committee of not less than nine members to be responsible for plans for 1974 celebration. Committee to report at each annual Town Meeting. (So voted) Said Committee to be responsible for all activities in connection with the event. C. Leland Slayton was appointed as Chairman. (Later resigned) Committee members: Richard Cogswell (appointed), Mr. Fred W. Courser, Jr., Mrs. Russell Ellsworth, Miss Mary Martin, Mr. John P.H. Chandler, Jr., Harold W. Dow, Orton F. Hill, Mrs. Doris Bean, Mrs. Charles A. Dow, Selectman Paul E. Violette.

Article 8. Selectmen to appoint a committee of three to work with the Central N.H. Regional Planning Commission on Solid Waste Management. (So voted)

DIRECT PRIMARY

September 12, 1972

938 Names on Checklist

481 Ballots Cast

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

November 7, 1972

982 Names on Checklist

668 Regular Ballots Cast

Representatives to General Court District No. 3:

L. WALDO BIGELOW, JR.

JOHN P.H. CHANDLER, JR.

Supervisor of Checklist:

BEVERLY S. HILL

Moderator:

DONALD E. GARTRELL

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

July 6, 1972

Articles 1 & 2. Both Articles passed: to extend the business commercial district along the river and Chemical Road (2 plots).

Notes: Selectmen purchased nine new metal voting booths which were used at the November election. Redecoration of the hall is completed.

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Land	\$1,857,552.00	
Buildings	5,630,617.00	
Factory Buildings	135,850.00	
Public Utilities	426,882.00	
Mobile Homes	132,746.00	
Boats and Launches	1,380.00	
Gross Evaluation		\$8,185,027.00
Elderly Exemptions		132,700.00
Net Evaluation		8,052,327.00
Gross Property Taxes		483,139.62
Veterans' Exemption		7,382.00
NET PROPERTY TAX		\$475,757.62

AMOUNT OF TAXES AND RATE

Resident	\$314,665.90	
Non-resident	161,091.72	
Resident Tax	7,180.00	
National Bank Stock Tax	127.60	
Total		\$483,065.22
Tax Rate:		
Town	\$.75 per \$100.00	
County . . . . .	.22 per \$100.00	
School	5.03 per \$100.00	
Total	\$6.00 per \$100.00	

Land Acquired by Tax Collectors Deed:

1. Charles Horton
2. Audley Construction Co.

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash:

In hands of Treasurer\$168,616.19

In hands of officials 8038.49

\$176,654.68

Notes, Long Term-Authorized-Unissued Fire Truck

16,000.00

Accounts Due to the Town:

Road Toll 499.00

TRA11,097.26

Contoocook Village Precinct 50.00

11,646.26

Unredeemed Taxes:

Levy of 197112,942.65

Levy of 19703,981.01

16,923.66

Uncollected Taxes:

Levy of 1972, Including Resident Taxes

77,502.44

TOTAL ASSETS

\$298,727.04

Current Surplus, Dec. 31,1971

27,891.70

Current Surplus, Dec. 31, 1972

12,551.91

Decrease of Surplus

15,339.79

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Unexpended Balances

of Special Appropriations31,000.00

Unexpended Revenue Sharing Funds7,627.00

Resident Taxes Due to State:

Uncollected \$837.00

Collected—not remitted to St. Treas. \$1,416.60

2,253.60

2% Bond & Debt Retirement Taxes:

Uncollected \$146.70

Collected—not remitted to St. Treas. \$411.07

557.77

School District Tax Payable	233,639.50	
Total Accounts Owed by the Town		275,077.87
State and Town Joint Highway Construction Accounts:		
Unexpended balance in State Treasury—TRA		11,097.26
TOTAL LIABILITIES		\$286,175.13
Current Surplus		20,924.91
GRAND TOTAL		298,727.04

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

Property Taxes, 1972	\$399,518.44	T01
Resident Taxes 1972	5,250.00	Fees
National Bank Stock Taxes 1972	127.60	T01
Yield Taxes 1972	2,011.78	T01
Total Current Year's Taxes Collected and Remitted		\$406,907.82
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes—Previous Years		63,173.85 T01
Resident Taxes—Previous Years		1,200.00 Fees
Interest received on Delinquent Taxes		3,684.41 T01
Penalties: Resident Taxes—State Head Taxes		129.00 Fees
Tax sales redeemed		11,458.14 T01

From State:

For Town Road Aid Refund	628.45
For Class V Highway maintenance	7,214.43
Highway Subsidy	20,133.34
Interest and dividends tax	10,937.93
Savings Bank Tax	2,130.14
Reimbursement a-c State & Federal forest lands	1,699.20
Forest fires training	39.51
Reimbursement a-c Motor Vehicle Road Toll	690.63
Overpayment Resident Tax	378.00
Meals and Rooms Tax	7,641.97
Reimbursements a-c Business Profits Tax	23,534.84
Hedgehog bounty	7.50

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses & penalties	498.00	799
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	76.00	799
Insurance Claims	661.03	
Rent of Town Hall	90.00	
Interest received on deposits	1,706.52	
Income from trust funds	5.48	
Income from Bear Pond Rent	50.00	
Income from Highway	161.81	
Income from Misc.	151.85	
Motor vehicle permits:		
1971	\$239.75	
1972	17,703.65	
1973	407.02	

18,377.42 T01

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Proceeds of Tax Anticipation Notes	146,000.00	
Proceeds of temporary deposit	145,000.00	
Reimbursement Trustee of trust funds	2,102.78	
Refund Warner Village Fire District	500.00	
Refund Radio License	20.00	
Grants from U.S.A.—Revenue Sharing	7,627.00	
All other Receipts:		
Redington Fund	172.00	
Cemetery Lot	50.00	
Total Receipts from All Sources		884,839.05
Cash on hand January 1, 1972		211,667.49
GRAND TOTAL		\$1,096,506.54

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:	
General Government:	
Town officers' salaries	\$6,452.80
Town officers' expenses	4,419.55
Election & registration expenses	1,324.07
Revenue sharing	7,627.00
Expenses Town Hall & other Town bldgs.	5,534.51
Protection of Persons and Property:	
Police Department	6,258.18
Visiting Nurse Assoc.	1,898.75
Fire Dept. including forest fires	5,849.68
Blister Rust & care of trees	385.88
Planning & Zoning	86.04
Damage by dogs	20.00
Insurance	3,137.92
Redington Fund	172.00
Health:	
Health dept. including hospitals & ambulance	399.00
vital statistics	30.50
Town dumps & garbage removal	2,277.28
Highways and Bridges:	
Oiling	1,839.85
Town Road Aid	2,015.27
Town Maintenance	20,036.29
(Summer, \$6,710.58, Winter, \$13,325.71)	
Street lighting	2,746.41
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	13,005.92
Class V Highways	6,684.59
Libraries	5,368.22
Highway Subsidy	20,133.34
Old age assistance & disabled	2,466.50
Town poor	1,800.00
Soldiers' Aid	100.00
Memorial Day, Veteran's Associations	
and Old Home Day	300.00
Recreation—parks and playgrounds,	
including band concerts	24.54
Public Service Enterprises:	
Special	145,000.00
Cemeteries	1,000.00
Legal expenses	109.20
Advertising & regional associations	1,048.00

Taxes bought by Town	16,305.13	
Discounts, abatements & refunds	1,736.26	
Employees' retirement & Soc. Sec.	2,493.04	
Payments to Trustees of trust funds	2,008.33	
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		292,094.05
Debt Service:		
Paid on tax anticipation notes	1,366.57	
Paid on long term notes	1,380.17	
Principal of Debt:		
Payments on Tax anticipation notes	146,000.00	
Payments on long term notes	13,862.00	
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
Resident Taxes Paid State Treasurer	3,755.70	×
(1972 \$1,011.15) (1971 \$2,744.55)		
Payments to State a-c 2% Bond &		
Debt Retirement Taxes	276.51	
Taxes paid to County	18,407.23	
Payments to School Districts	450,748.12	
(1971 Tax \$260,748.12) (1972 Tax \$190,000.00)		
 TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES		 \$ 927,890.35
 Cash on hand December 31, 1972		 168,616.19
 GRAND TOTAL		 \$1,096,506.54

SCHEDULE OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

Long Term Notes Outstanding:	
Waterloo Bridge	2,000.00
Highway-Grader	20,000.00
	22,000.00
Total Long Term Indebtedness	
December 31, 1972	\$22,000.00

RECONCILIATION OF OUTSTANDING LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

Outstanding Long Term Debt	
December 31, 1971	\$35,862.00
Debt Retirement During Fiscal Year:	
Long Term Notes Paid	13,862.00
Outstanding Long Term Debt	
December 31, 1972	\$22,000.00

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY
As of December 31, 1972; June 30, 1973

DESCRIPTION	VALUE
Town Hall, Lands & Bldgs.	\$ 90,000.00
Furniture & Equipment	4,000.00
Libraries, Lands & Bldgs.	47,000.00
Furniture & Equipment	32,000.00
Police Department, Lands & Buildings:	
Equipment	4,100.00
Fire Department, Lands & Bldgs.	28,000.00
Equipment	17,552.00
Highway Department, Lands & Bldgs.	10,000.00
Equipment	60,000.00
Materials & Supplies	4,000.00
Ski Area	40,000.00
All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds:	
L N/S Rt. 103	100.00
L N/S Schoodac Rd. — Jct. Roby Rd.	50.00
L Railroad	660.00
B on L E. Flanders	300.00
L/B — E/S W/S Boundtree Rd.	5,300.00
L N/S Rt. 103	700.00
L N/S Rt. 103	500.00
L W/S Tory Hill Rd.	500.00
All other Property and Equipment:	
Chandler Reservation	30,000.00
L/B Poverty Plains Rd.	2,500.00
L Schoodac Rd.	450.00
 Total	 \$377,712.00

REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK
January 1, 1972 through December 31, 1972



Receipts

Automobile Taxes:

Account of 1971 in 1972	\$ 239.75
Account of 1972 in 1972	17,883.04
Account of 1973 in 1972	407.12

Dog Licenses and Penalties:

1972 Licenses	489.00
1972 Penalties	28.00

Filing Fees:

For March, June and November	20.00
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Total receipts from all sources

\$19,066.91

Payments to Treasurer

Automobile Taxes:

Account of 1971 in 1972	\$ 239.75
Account of 1972 in 1972	17,730.65
Account of 1973 in 1972	407.02

Dog Licenses and Penalties:

Licenses	473.00
Penalties	25.00

Filing Fees:

March, June, November	30.00
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18,905.42

Less overpayment on 1971 Account as in Town Report

5.54

Cash on Hand

155.95

Respectfully Submitted,

Nellie M. Dow
Town Clerk

January 30, 1973



REPORT OF THE TAX COLLECTOR 1972

Taxes Committed

Property	Resident	Yield
\$475,757.62	\$7,180.00	\$2,236.36

Added Taxes

1,229.90	250.00
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Total

476,987.52	7,430.00	2,236.36
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Interest Collected

11.66	7.00
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Total Debits

\$476,999.18	\$7,437.00	\$2,236.36
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Paid to Treas.

\$399,518.44	\$5,250.00	\$2,011.78
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Interest

11.66	7.00
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Abatements

2,051.22	320.00
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Uncollected

75,417.86	1,860.00	224.58
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Total Credits

\$476,999.18	\$7,437.00	\$2,236.36
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1971

Uncollected 1/1/72

\$63,818.62	\$1,690.00	\$454.62
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Interest

2,142.28	122.00	12.72
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Total Debits

\$65,960.90	\$1,812.00	\$467.34
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Paid to Treas.

\$62,719.23	\$1,200.00	\$454.62
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Interest

2,142.28	122.00	12.72
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Abatements

1,099.39	490.00
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Uncollected

Total Credits

\$65,960.90	\$1,812.00	\$467.34
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1970

Uncollected 1/1/72

\$655.68

Interest	
Total Debits	\$655.68
Paid to Treas.	
Interest	
Uncollected	\$655.68
Total Credits	\$655.68

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SUMMARY OF TAX SALE

	1971	1970	1969
Taxes Sold to Town	\$16,010.13		
Bal. Unredeemed 1/1/72		\$6,882.46	\$5,810.33
Int. & Expenses after sale	51.70	177.10	1,288.95
Redemption costs pd.	54.25	63.90	72.20
Redemption costs abated	15.50	11.50	11.50
Total Debits	\$16,131.58	\$7,134.96	\$7,182.98
Remitted to Treas.	\$2,929.63	\$2,997.56	\$7,048.70
Abatements	77.45	11.50	11.50
Deeded to Town	181.85	144.89	122.78
Unredeemed	12,942.65	3,981.01	
Total Credits	\$16,131.58	\$7,134.96	\$7,182.98

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALE*

	1971	1970
Brown, Richard & Frances	\$1,222.52	
Brown, Richard & Frances	15.54	
Crawford, Arnold, Elizabeth, Ralph & Lena	941.80	455.00
Crawford, Arnold, Elizabeth, Ralph & Lena	6.27	
Erickson, Arnold & Barbara	351.95	
Emery, Warren, Helen & Aux	205.07	143.29
Flanders, Ernest Jr. & Nancy	97.14	76.96
Flanders, Thomas & Arlene	50.91	
Fellow, Harry & Florence	682.90	
Gaynor, James & Helen	96.83	126.06
Gaynor, Robert & Marilyn	238.96	149.92
Hoyt, Goldie	9.31	
Hutchinson, George & Laura	719.86	
Locke, Henry & Dorothea	238.96	137.70
Manning, Wesley & Sandra	393.12	268.28
MacComber, Nancy	1,138.26	
Newcomb, Carl Jr. & Lois	133.76	104.01
Place, George & Betty	81.73	64.67
Richard, Leon & Arestine	163.04	
Stires, Lawrence & Mary	405.40	
Sawyer, Donald & Louise	152.64	121.18
Willey, John & Mabel	174.19	
Beatrice Enterprises	1,864.59	1,484.11
Beatrice Enterprises	1,026.70	818.50
Johnson, Nils	161.91	103.53
Bernier Brothers Inc.	63.19	
Bernier Brothers Inc.	64.84	
Penn Land Owners Fund Inc.	948.00	
Penn Land Owners Fund Inc.	34.02	
Richardson, John	23.16	
Scoffi, Salvé	907.91	
Wheeler, Harris & Sally	553.42	

*Includes cost of tax sale

Respectfully Submitted
Barbara Annis



REPORT OF TREASURER

January 1, 1972 through December 31, 1972

Cash on hand - January 1, 1972

\$221,667.49

RECEIPTS

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Highway Subsidy	\$20,133.34
Town Road Aid Refund	628.45
Business Profits Tax	23,534.84
Motor Vehicle Road Toll Refund	690.63
Savings Bank Tax	2,130.14
Maintenance Class V Highways	7,214.43
Interest & Dividends Tax	10,937.93
Rooms and Meals Tax	7,641.97
Reimbursement:	
Tax loss on State & Federal Forest lands	1,699.20
Forest Fire Training	39.51
Overpayment—Resident Tax	378.00
Hedgehog bounties	7.50

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Contoocook Fire Precinct—rent of land—Bear Pond	50.00
Bank of New Hampshire—Redington Fund	172.00
St. Theresa Parish—Rent of Town Hall	90.00
Dana Wood—reimbursement—Police services	65.00
Clifford Rogers - Highway Dept. Services	3.85
Travelers Ins. Company—Damage to Dalton Bridge	82.44
Sale of lot—New Cemetery	50.00
Concord National Bank—National Bank Stock Tax	98.00
George Guimond—Gravel delivered	4.50
Bank of New Hampshire—National Bank Stock Tax	29.60
Kearsarge Ins. Agency—Audit on Workmens	
Compensation Policy	4.00
Sale of junk at dump	30.00
Warner Village Fire District — Rent of	
equipment and labor	54.96
LeClair's Garage—Sale of scrap	50.00
Sale of stone dust—K. Hazen	14.00
Pistol Permits	46.00
Town of Salisbury—Highway work	58.00
Theodore W. Young—Reimbursement,	
Dog Constable expense	2.85

New Hampshire Ins. Company—Theft loss	578.59
Gordon L. Smith—Sale of stone dust	14.00
Warner Village Fire District—Refund of overpayment	500.00

TREASURER OF UNITED STATES

Refund—Radio license fee	20.00
Revenue Sharing Program	7,627.00

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Interest on Public Land fund	5.48
Reimbursement—Funds advanced by Town	2,102.78

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

Temporary tax anticipation notes	146,000.00
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SUGAR RIVER SAVINGS BANK

Withdrawal—Funds temporarily on deposit	145,000.00
Interest received on temporary deposit	1,706.52

BARBARA ANNIS, TAX COLLECTOR

1972 Property taxes	399,518.44
1972 Resident taxes	5,250.00
1972 Resident tax interest	7.00
1972 Yield taxes	2,011.78
1972 Property tax interest	11.66
1971 Property taxes	62,719.23
1971 Resident taxes	1,200.00
1971 Resident tax interest	122.00
1971 Property tax interest	2,142.28
1971 Property tax redemption	2,877.93
1971 Property tax redemption interest	51.70
1971 Yield taxes	454.62
1971 Yield tax interest	12.72
1970 Property tax redemption	2,820.46
1970 Property tax redemption interest	177.10
1969 Property tax redemption	5,759.75
1969 Property tax redemption interest	1,288.95

NELLIE M. DOW, TOWN CLERK

1971-72 Auto taxes	239.75
1972 Auto taxes	17,730.65
1973 Auto taxes	407.02

1972 Dog taxes	473.00
1972 Dog tax penalties	25.00
1972 Filing fees	30.00

Total Receipts (Including cash on hand at beginning of year)	\$1,096,506.54
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EXPENDITURES

Paid out by order of Board of Selectmen	\$927,890.35
Cash on hand December 31, 1972	168,616.19
	\$1,096,506.54

Respectfully submitted

Thomas B. Henley
Treasurer

REPORT OF THE
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1972

Trustees have custody of 296 permanent trust funds with aggregate cost value of \$121,674.20, market value of \$124,886.68 and unexpended income, including accumulations of prior years, amounting to \$9,527.35. In accordance with instructions pertaining to each trust, the sum of \$6,827.33 was expended during the year 1972 with the Town of Warner, Kearsarge Regional School District, Pillsbury Free Library, United Church of Warner, Almoners of Foster Fund, Pine Grove Cemetery Association, Inc., and care of various cemetery lots participating in the distribution.

Also the Trustees of Trust Funds have custody of a temporary fund with balance of \$62.01 in connection with new cemetery at Waterloo.

Further detailed information concerning said trusts may be obtained from the reports on file with the New Hampshire State Tax Commission, Board of Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Town Moderator and each member of the Board of Trustees of Trust Funds.

Respectfully submitted,

Orton F. Hill
John P. H. Chandler, Jr.
Walter P. Miner
Trustees of Trust Funds

REPORT OF CEMETERY CUSTODIANS

In the fall of 1972 the Cemetery custodians sold the first lot in the new Warner Town Cemetery, receiving payment for both the lot and its perpetual care.

Eventually receipts will provide sufficient income to pay costs of maintenance, but that date is a number of years in the future. In the meantime, such costs must be borne by the Town in anticipation of future income. The Cemetery Custodians have consulted with a professional landscaper, Edmunds Nurseries, concerning future planning for the site. It was his considered judgment, concurred in by the Cemetery Custodians, that a first essential to any future plans will be a supply of water. This will involve drilling a well and installing a pump, including the provision of electric power. The Cemetery Custodians are requesting an appropriation of \$1,500.00 in 1973, to be placed in a Capital Reserve Fund; with a similar request in 1974. By the 1974 Town Meeting the Cemetery Custodians will have available exact estimates of the total cost of the project. In the meantime, the Cemetery Custodians are requesting the Selectmen to provide town crew assistance in some grading and smoothing of the site and its entrance.

The Cemetery Custodians stand ready at all times to answer any queries concerning the new Town Cemetery. The rules for its use were printed in the 1971 Town Report.

Respectfully submitted,

Emil W. Allen, Jr.
Charles Hamphill
James J. O'Rourke

DETAILED STATEMENT

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Selectmen:	
Paul E. Violette	\$700.00
Winfred M Grandy	600.00
Philip L. Gervais	500.00
	\$ 1,800.00
Treasurer, Thomas B. Henley	175.00
Tax Collector, Barbara Annis	1,500.00
Overseer Public Welfare, John Jepson	37.50
Overseer Public Welfare, Paul Manning	112.50
Town Clerk, Nellie Dow	150.00
Auto Permits and Dog Tax, Nellie M. Dow	1,418.80
Auditors:	
Jack Morrison	50.00
Janet Moulton	50.00
	100.00
Selectmen's Clerk, Barbara Annis	1,059.00
Dog Catcher, Ronald Dalrymple	100.00
	\$6,452.80

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSE

Postage & Box Rent, Richard Cogswell, P.M.	334.17
Merrimack County Tel. Co.	217.37
Brown and Saltmarsh Inc.	103.46
Kearsarge Insurance Agency	319.00
Travel:	
Paul E. Violette	100.00
Winfred M. Grandy	50.00
Philip L. Gervais	50.00
	200.00
Dues:	
N.H. Tax Collectors	5.00
Assoc. of N.H. Assessors	10.00
N.H. City & Town Clerk Assoc.	8.00
N.H. Municipal Assoc.	107.52
	130.52
Thomas B. Henley, postage, reg. mail & tel.	85.76
John Jepson (telephone)	9.53

Janet Moulton	26.42
C.M. Rice Paper Co.	17.77
The Village Press Inc. (incl. town report)	1,997.50
Wheeler & Clark	38.95
Theodore Young	2.50
David White	22.00
Nellie M. Dow	62.60
Barbara Annis	190.30
Walter Miner, Trustee of Trust Fund expense	100.00
Branham Publishing Co.	9.40
State of N.H.	6.61
Warner PTO	7.00
Arthur Starkweather Memorial Fund	25.00
William Jewell (Civil Defense Meeting)	21.70
Monitor Publishing Co., Inc.	40.27
Palmer Chemical & Equipment	307.25
The Hillsboro Messenger	33.60
Argus Champion	11.60
	\$4,419.55

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Supervisors:

Elmer J. Bartlett	\$ 28.50
Dorothy Harriman	151.50
John E. Mottram	108.75
Beverly Hill	88.50
	\$ 377.25

L. Waldo Bigelow, Jr., Moderator	40.00
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Ballot Clerks:

Jane Bliss	20.00
Walter Brunner	10.00
Eloise Sammis	10.00
Esther Randall	40.00
Alice Hemphill	30.00
David Sandoe	20.00
Pearl Jepson	10.00
	140.00

Anna Allen, Asst. Town Clerk	30.00
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Dinners:

Theodore Young	16.12
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Bill's Place	23.84	
Ann's Place	18.22	
Warner Variety	60.95	
Esther Randall, Treas.	39.00	
		158.13
Miscellaneous:		
Nellie Dow	9.77	
John Mottram	9.58	
Brown & Saltmarsh Co., Inc.	9.00	
May the Printer	132.78	
Harold Whittemore	14.50	
Monitor Publishing Co., Inc.	20.46	
Argus Champion	20.30	
E.V. Sales	362.30	
		578.69
		\$1,324.07

TOWN HALL

Public Service Co. of N.H.	\$ 410.23	
Warner Fuel Co., Inc.	2,594.68	
Charles A. Dow, Janitor	618.25	
Warner Village Fire Dist. water rent	50.00	
Gervais Refrigeration, oil burner	1,087.77	
Repairs and Supplies:		
Rodd Roofing Co.	125.00	
R.L. Dodge Co.	13.50	
Warner IGA	24.00	
Maurice Randall	72.00	
Charles A. Dow, painting	387.08	
		621.58
N.H. Labor Dept.	2.00	
Snow plowing, Charles Hemphill	150.00	
		\$5,534.51

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Chief, Peter Chalfant, salary	\$1,000.00	
Police Duty and Mileage:		
John Mottram	408.86	
Randall Whitehead	603.20	
Martin Nogues	803.89	
William Jewell	439.08	
Ronald Dalrymple	141.00	

Jeanne Jewell	4.00
Fred Keyser, Sr.	82.20
Otto Fredericks	46.60
William Proper	70.00
Thomas Chandler	324.60
Peter Chalfant (mileage only)	30.80

2,954.23

Miscellaneous:

Merrimack County Tel. Co.	239.78
Texaco Inc.	494.21
Kearsarge Insurance Co.	357.00
Granite State Stamps	150.20
Harry Heselton	21.40
Sylvia Brofos	30.00
Martin Nogues	12.49
Sanel Auto Parts Inc.	22.58
Macks Mens Shop	415.28
Treas. State of N.H.	9.41
Concord Hospital	4.20
Warner Texaco	401.12
Warner Sunoco	5.60
Noyes Tire Co.	20.50
Village Arms	53.00
Arthur Bovee	22.80
Harold Whittemore	24.00
Carlsons Motor Sales	20.38

2,303.95

6,258.18

PLANNING AND ZONING

Central N.H. Regional Planning Comm.	1,048.00
Misc. for Warner Planning Board	
State of N.H.	25.00
Janet Moulton	12.00
Monitor Publishing Co., Inc.	49.04

86.04

1,134.04

VISITING NURSE ASSOC.

Kearsarge Visiting Nurse Assoc.	1,898.75
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FIRE DEPT. AND FOREST FIRES

Barbara Annis, Treas., Fire Dist. Approp.	5,746.85
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John R. Hill	102.83
	5,849.68

BLISTER RUST & CARE OF TREES

Chase Tree Service	98.20
Treas. State of N.H.	102.08
Adams Nursery, Inc.	185.60
	385.88

REVENUE SHARING

Town of Warner	7,627.00
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INSURANCE

Davis & Towle Ins. Agency	600.10
Kearsarge Ins. Agency	2,537.82
	3,137.92

REDINGTON FUND

Warner IGA	172.00
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HEALTH DEPT.

Concord Hospital	399.00
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VITAL STATISTICS

Nellie M. Dow	30.50
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TOWN DUMP

Freeman West	1,449.89
Richard Sandy	255.00
Peter Farrell	56.00
Fred Whitman	5.25
Richard West	3.50
Philip Rogers	147.00
Harry Anderson	141.43
Edward Champney	81.49
Edward Smith	74.58
Charles Durgin	17.50
Henry Locke - gravel	4.80

Roy Gookin - gravel	5.20
Monitor Publishing Co., Inc. - ad	7.64
Treas. State of N.H. - license	25.00
Astles Lumber & Hardward Co., Inc.	3.00

2,277.28

GENERAL ROAD ACCOUNT

Summer Labor

Philip Rogers	2,164.74
Harry Anderson	1,749.62
Edward Shampney	2,189.04
Edward Smith	214.42
Edward Flanders	312.76
Charles Durgin	35.00
Richard Sandy	45.00

6,710.58

Winter Labor

Charles Bean	1,634.56
Harry Anderson	2,810.04
Edward Shampney	2,893.10
George Twomey	1,166.89
Richard Cutting	193.53
Charles Durgin	877.14
Edward Smith	307.33
Edward Flanders	420.94
Shirley Robertson	50.66
William Fenton	120.42
Thomas Fenton	66.25
Richard Sandy	45.00
C. Richard Allen	54.00
Philip Rogers	2,301.53
Robert Raymond	39.38
Harry Shampney	18.00
Donald Hall	40.52
Freeman West	200.33
Joseph Shampney	19.69
Fred Shampney	66.40

13,325.71

General Maintenance

Texaco, Inc.	3,522.86
Warner Fuel Co., Inc.	1,083.88
Warner Texaco	161.98

Public Service Co. of N.H.	171.70
Harry Heselton	256.36
N.H. Explosives & Machinery Corp.	250.45
Merrimack County Tel. Co.	158.43
Chadwick BaRoss, Inc.	133.90
Patsy's Garage & Auto Body, Inc.	138.74
United Tire	72.58
Shepard Auto & Supply Co.	3.82
Astles Lumber & Hardward Co., Inc.	135.08
C. & M. Repair	204.90
Car-Go Home & Auto Center, Inc.	516.71
Charles Hemphill	280.00
Max Cohen & Sons	212.19
International Salt Co.	612.33
Auto Electric Service Co.	759.89
Town of Henniker	100.00
O. H. Lewis Co., Inc.	1,255.40
Sanel Auto Parts Inc.	365.40
Granite State Asphalt	240.06
Allstate Gases Inc.	67.00
Allied Chemical	50.17
E.W. Sleeper Co.	29.35
R.C. Hazelton Co.	62.42
John Grappone	6.31
Evans Radio	81.45
Merrimack Farmers Exchange Inc.	202.56
Hews BodyCo.	82.09
Warner Village Fire District	40.00
Federal Communications System	20.00
Panbro Sales Corp.	60.50
B-B Chains	415.00
Adams Glass Co., Inc.	20.30
Greenlaws Garage	124.20
Gervais Refrigeration	110.40
Superintendent of Documents	4.00
N.H. Bituminous	278.86
Paul Jones	30.00
R.K. Boyd Construction Inc.	21.75
Spears Garage Inc.	6.18
Brown and Saltmarsh Inc.	23.32
Richard W. Sandy	98.00
Carl Billings	35.00
Paul Mock	75.00

L. Earl Nichols	129.60
Ronald Dalrymple	50.00
Fred Courser, Jr.	88.00
Fred Brunnhoelzl	30.00
Gravel:	
Roy Gookin	89.00
Henry Locke	9.00
Fred Courser, Jr.	22.80
Neale Carlson	7.00
	127.80
	\$13,005.92

OILING

N. H. Bituminous	1,839.85
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STREET LIGHTING

Public Service Co. of N.H.	2,746.41
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TOWN ROAD AID

State of N.H. Appropriation (Town's share)	1,471.85
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PILLSBURY FREE LIBRARY

Anna Allen, Treasurer	5,368.22
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PUBLIC WELFARE

State of N.H. Old Age and Asst. to Disabled	2,466.50
Town Poor	1,800.00

MEMORIAL DAY

Wilkins, Cloues, Bigelow Post No. 39	300.00
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SOLDIERS AID

Ronald Dalrymple	100.00
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PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Astles Lumber & Hardware Co., Inc.	24.54
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SPECIAL

Sugar River Savings Bank	145,000.00
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CEMETERIES

Wilkins, Cloues, Bigelow Post No. 391,000.00

DAMAGES

Fred Courser Jr. 20.00

LEGAL EXPENSE

Kathleen M. Roy, Mortgages & Conveyances 108.50

Leila Bartlett, Register70

109.20

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Barbara Annis16,010.13

Barbara Annis, fee for sale 295.00

16,305.13

DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

Thomas Page—Veterans exemption 50.00

Walter Heselton—property tax & int. 320.84

Manley Glanville—property tax & int. 318.36

David Wachsmuth—property tax & int. 368.81

Henry Wachsmuth—property tax & int. 279.90

John Mottram—1972 refund 61.25

Peter & Maryann Fogg refund 337.15

1,736.26

SOCIAL SECURITY

Treasurer State of N.H.2,493.04

INTEREST

Citizens National Bank

Interest on long term notes1,380.17

Interest on short term notes1,366.57

2,746.74

TEMPORARY NOTES

Citizens National Bank146,000.00

LONG TERM NOTES

Citizens National Bank13,862.00

STATE AND COUNTY

Treasurer Merrimack County	18,407.23
State Treasurer:	
Bond & Debt Retirement Tax	276.51
Resident Tax	3,755.70
	4,032.21
	22,439.44

SCHOOL DISTRICT

Kearsarge Regional School District	450,748.12
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REPORT OF THE ALMONERS
FOSTER AND CURRIER FUNDS

Balances, January 1, 1972:	
Concord National Bank	\$1,002.24
Sugar River Savings Bank, Acct. 28845	2,646.81
	\$3,649.05
Interest on Savings Account	136.30
Received from Foster Fund	315.29
Received from Currier Fund	216.15
	531.44
Balance on hand, December 31, 1972	\$4,398.79

Elmer J. Bartlett
Thomas B. Henley
John P.H. Chandler, Jr.
Almoners of the
Foster and Currier Funds

AUDITORS' REPORT

We, the undersigned, have audited the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Trustees of the Trust Funds, Almoners of the Foster Fund, Board of Management of the William E. Davis School Fund, and Overseer of the Public Welfare for the Town of Warner, New Hampshire for the year ending December 31, 1972 and found them correct except for the following:

- 1. Overpayment by Town Clerk to Town Treasurer on 1972 Filing Fees of \$10.
- 2. Underpayment by Town Clerk to Town Treasurer on 1972 Dog Licenses of \$19.
- 3. Underpayment by Town Clerk to Town Treasurer on 1972 Auto Permits of \$152.39.
- 4. Underpayment by Town Clerk to Town Treasurer on 1973 Auto Permits of \$.10.

Balances on hand as of December 31, 1972:

Town Treasurer	\$168,616.19
Town Clerk	155.95
Trustees of the Trust Funds	9,527.35
Almoners of the Foster Fund	4,398.79
Overseer of the Public Welfare	255.54
Board of Management of the William E. Davis School Fund: Passbook No. 186439	302.70

Janet M. Moulton
Walter Brunner
Auditors

January 31, 1972
Warner, New Hampshire

WARRANT FOR THE WARNER VILLAGE FIRE DISTRICT

To the inhabitants of the Warner Village Fire District, in the Town of Warner, County of Merrimack, qualified to vote in the District affairs;

You are hereby notified to meet in the Town Hall in said District, on Friday the Sixteenth Day of March, 1973, A.D. at 7:30 O'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subject:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose two (2) Commissioners. One for three years and one for the ensuing one year.
3. To choose a clerk, Treasurer, Collector, two Auditors and other agents or officers for the ensuing year.
4. To hear the reports of the District Officers and Committees for the preceding year and pass any vote in relations thereto.
5. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the care and improvement of the water system, for the care and improvement of the sewer system and for fire protection.
6. To see if the Warner Village Fire District will authorize the Commissioners and District Treasurer to borrow money in anticipation of Water and Sewer Rents on the note, or notes of the Warner Village Fire District.
7. To see if the District will vote to amend the last sentence of paragraph 20, page 11, of the terms and conditions of the regulations of the Warner Village Fire District to read as following:

Upon complaint of a customer, the customer's water meter shall be removed and tested by an independent testing company. If the meter proves to be accurate, the customer will be charged \$15.00 (fifteen dollars) for such test. If the meter proves to be inaccurate, the cost of said test will be borne by the District.

8. To see if the District will vote to amend the schedule of salaries and fees — page 14 of the Warner Village Fire District Regulations to read as follows:

District Officers

Clerk & Treasurer combined	\$175.00 per year
Auditors each	10.00 per year
Fire Department	
Fire Chief, salary & travel expenses	550.00 per year
Clerk & Treasurer, combined salary	50.00 per year

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hand and seal at said Warner, this twenty-eighth day of February in the year one thousand, nine hundred and seventy-three.

Anthony D. Hamilton
 Alfred White
 L. Waldo Bigelow, Jr.
 Commissioners of the
 Warner Village Fire District

REPORT OF WARNER VILLAGE FIRE PRECINCT
1972-1973

The voters elected the following officials at the 1972 Annual Fire Precinct Meeting:

- Commissioner L. Waldo Bigelow, Jr.
- Clerk-Treasurer Mrs. Barbara Annis
- Collector Charles Hemphill
- Auditors John Hill, Caleb Whitton

The Water Commissioners held regular monthly meetings during 1972 and several special meetings. Business at the regular meetings involved current and normal operations of the water and sewage systems. The special meetings concerned discussions with representatives of Anderson-Nichols Company relative to the reservoir dam study and a representative of Badger Meter Company relative to some technical advice. The Commissioners also discussed gravel packed well investigations and possible financing with Anderson-Nichols Company. The Commissioners feel that such a well study should be undertaken as soon as possible in order to be prepared to make a wise decision in the future relative to an adequate and safe surface or well water supply to meet the expected increase in consumption and required Water Supply and Pollution Commission standards.

The latest information relative to Warner's sewage treatment facility indicates that our status has not changed since 1971. The Federal Government is supplying meager amounts of money for sewage treatment facilities to the state's communities.

Commissioner Emil W. Allen, Jr. reluctantly resigned as of June 1, 1972 due to the family move to the Waterloo Section. The Commissioners accepted his resignation with regret and soon after appointed Mr. Alfred White to fill the vacancy.

It was reported in 1971 that the Commissioners were concerned about the number of delinquent accounts. We are pleased to report that the problem has practically disappeared. The excellent results have been due to the fine work accomplished by the By-laws and Regulations Committee and the wisdom of the voters in accepting the Committee's final draft at the 1972 Annual Fire Precinct meeting.

Respectfully submitted:

A. Denis Hamilton
L. Waldo Bigelow, Jr.
Alfred White

**PROPOSED BUDGET FOR
WARNER VILLAGE FIRE DISTRICT FOR YEAR 1973**

EXPENDITURES

	Raised 1972	BUDGET COMMITTEE Spent 1972	Raised 1973
FIRE DEPARTMENT			
Salaries	\$ 380.00	\$ 380.00	\$ 850.00
Drills & Fire Wages	1,850.00	1,676.55	2,500.00
Drills & Fire Expenses	180.00	140.86	200.00
Relief, Retirement & Insurance	1,288.00	1,217.97	1,228.00
New Equipment	750.00	472.53	750.00
Supplies	125.00	29.60	125.00
Maintenance of Trucks	400.00	210.81	400.00
Care of Fire Station	1,000.00	899.99	1,075.00
Radio Repairs	175.00	185.64	175.00
Fire School	100.00	-0-	100.00
Red Telephone Network	882.80	673.89	882.00
Social Security	-0-	96.61	185.00
WATER & SEWER ADMINISTRATION			
Salaries	1,300.00	1,332.71	945.00
Expenses	255.00	390.15	285.00
Legal Fees	100.00	-0-	100.00
Social Security	200.00	99.62	150.00
Refunds	-0-	575.35	-0-
Care of Water & Sewer Building	-0-	99.62	155.00
Operation of System:			
Water & Sewer	3,350.00	1,915.97	3,375.00
New Equipment	100.00	63.20	100.00
Engineering Study	1,000.00	-0-	2,000.00
Short Term Note	1,500.00	1,500.00	-0-
Principal of Debt	3,750.00	2,950.00	4,450.00
Interest on Debt	1,500.00	1,279.88	1,000.00
Capital Reserve Fund - to be raised by Tax	500.00	500.00	500.00
Capital Reserve Fund voted from surplus	-0-	4,062.33	-0-
Total Appropriations or Expenditures	\$20,625.80	\$16,690.95	\$25,592.33

**ANNUAL MEETING – MARCH 16, 1973
TOWN HALL – 7:30 P.M.**

ESTIMATED INCOME

Cash on Hand	\$ 31.29	\$ 5,562.33	\$ 31.29
Water Rents & Sewer Rent	13,884.71	13,196.67	13,722.66
Town of Warner	5,746.85	6,352.50	5,246.85
Business Profits Tax	457.96	480.83	-0-
Refund - Everett J. Prescott	537.32	-0-	-0-
Int. on Investment	14.51	-0-	-0-
Water Connecting	80.64	-0-	-0-
Misc. Labor & Supplies	-0-	-0-	125.00
Amounts Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes	1,500.00	-0-	1,500.00
Total Revenues Except Precinct Taxes	\$22,253.28	\$25,592.33	\$20,625.80

Budget Committee:

Theodore J. Bliss - Chairman
 Charles H. Hemphill
 Chester Martin
 Walter Brunner
 John P. H. Chandler, Jr.
 Gerald B. Courser
 Paul E. Violette
 Anthony D. Hamilton

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE WARNER VILLAGE FIRE DISTRICT
January 1, 1972 to December 31,1972

RECEIPTS

CURRENT REVENUE:		
Water rent collections (from Collector)	.....\$13,884.71	
Town of Warner—Fire Department	.....5,746.85	
Bank of N. H. (short term note)	.....1,500.00	
Treas. State of N.H. (Business Profits Tax)	.....457.96	
Refund—Everett J. Prescott	.....537.32	
Interest on Investment	.....14.51	
Water Connecting	.....80.64	
Total receipts from all sources		\$22,221.99
Cash on hand at beginning of year (Jan. 1, 1972)		31.29
GRAND TOTAL		22,253.28

EXPENDITURES

FIRE DEPARTMENT:		
Salaries	.....380.00	
Drills and Fires—wages	.....1,676.55	
Drills and Fires—expenses	.....140.86	
Relief, Retirement & Insurance	.....1,217.97	
New Equipment	.....472.53	
Supplies	.....29.60	
Maintenance of Fire trucks	.....210.81	
Care of Fire Station	.....899.99	
Radio	.....185.64	
Red Telephone Network	.....673.89	
Social Security	.....96.61	
		5,984.45
WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM		
Salaries	.....1,332.71	
Expenses	.....390.15	
Social Security	.....99.62	
Refunds	.....575.35	
Care of Water & Sewer Bldg.	.....99.62	
		2,497.45
OPERATION OF SYSTEM		
Chlorination of plant	.....927.61	
Pumping Station	.....135.71	
Reservoir	.....51.00	
Water Mains	.....357.75	

Hydrants	173.50	
Sewers	189.15	
Meters	81.25	
Sewerage Disposal Fund	500.00	
Short term notes	1,500.00	
Long term notes	2,950.00	
Interest	1,279.88	
New Equipment	63.20	
		8,209.05
TOTAL PAYMENT FOR ALL PURPOSES		16,690.95
CASH ON HAND AT END OF YEAR (Dec. 31, 1972)		5,562.33
GRAND TOTAL		\$22,253.28

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS:

Cash on Hand	\$5,562.33	
Sewerage Disposal Fund	3,265.08	
Merrimack County Savings	7,361.69	
H.N. Lewis Memorial Fund	508.33	
Land Acquisition Fund	57.03	
Uncollected Water Rents	501.05	
Total Assets		17,255.51
Excess of Liabilities over Assets		42,016.27
GRAND TOTAL		\$59,271.78

LIABILITIES:

Bank of N.H. (6 notes 2950)	17,700.00	
Bank of N.H.	4,016.41	
U.S. Government Loan	37,555.37	
Total Liabilities		\$59,271.78

SCHEDULE OF PRECINCT PROPERTY

LAND AND BUILDINGS:

New Fire Station	\$21,207.51
Water Works Land	1,348.70
Sewer Dept. Land	2,160.63
Fire Dept. Land	1,272.80
Gate House	423.78
Pump House	233.81
Old Fire Station	978.30
Furniture and Apparatus:	
Water Supply Equipment	12,701.62
Mains	75,364.38
Services	6,804.91
Hydrants	4,101.76
Pump	1,769.87
Other Distribution Equipment	2,110.38
Sewer Mains	11,673.40
Fire Department Property	14,272.83
Tools and Supplies	1,821.38
Water Meters	10,875.32

TOTAL VALUATION

\$169,121.38

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Barbara Annis
Treasurer

January 11, 1973

CERTIFICATE OF AUDIT

The undersigned, having examined the accounts of the Warner Village Fire District, Barbara Annis, Treasurer, for the year ending December 31, 1972, hereby certify that we have found all receipts and disbursements properly accounted for with an ending cash balance of \$5,562.33.

John R. Hill
Caleb W. Whiten
Auditors

COLLECTORS REPORT **January 1, 1972 to December 31, 1972**

Unpaid accounts of 1971	\$1,262.67	
Unpaid accounts of 1970	151.76	
Amount billed as of May 1 meter readings	6,523.10	
Amount billed as of Nov 1 meter readings	6,561.80	
Shut off penalty	5.00	
Overpayment—Finch account	73.20	
Total to be accounted for		14,577.53
Amount collected—accounts of 1970	42.74	
Amount collected—accounts of 1971	1,149.77	
Amount collected—May billing 1972	6,434.60	
Amount collected—Nov. billing 1972	6,179.40	
Overpayment—Finch account	73.20	
Shut off penalty	5.00	
		13,884.71
Unpaid account of 1970:		
Lawrence Stires	42.15	
Uncollectible accounts of 1970:		
Mesur-Matic	42.49	
Edward Seavey	22.15	
Misc. Interest	2.23	
Unpaid account of 1971:		
Norman Locke	20.00	
Uncollectible account of 1971:		
Mesur-Matic	72.20	
Unpaid account—May billing 1972:		
Norman Locke	56.50	
Uncollectible account—May billing 1972:		
Mesur-Matic	32.00	
Abatement—Faulty meter:		
Robert Durgin	20.70	
		310.42
Unpaid accounts—Nov. billing 1972:		
Ralph Walker	50.10	
Robert Durgin	26.20	
John King	32.80	
Norman Locke	26.00	
Darlene Doyle	31.20	
Fred Judd	71.20	
Wesley Manning	31.40	
Jeremy McCabe	58.50	

Hugh Emerson	55.00	
		382.40
		\$14,577.53

Respectfully submitted

Charles H. Hemphill
Collector

CERTIFICATE OF AUDIT

We, the undersigned, having examined the accounts of Charles H. Hemphill, Collector of water rents for the Warner Village Fire District for the period of January 1, 1972 to December 31, 1972, find them correct and receipts for payments to the Treasurer totaling \$13,884.71.

John R. Hill
Caleb W. Whiton
Auditors

Warner, N.H.
January 25, 1973

DETAILED STATEMENT
WARNER VILLAGE FIRE DISTRICT

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Salaries:

Maurice Randall	\$ 50.00
Maurice Randall, Expenses	100.00
Richard Cutting	30.00
Irving George	200.00

\$ 380.00

Drills & Fire Wages:

Maurice Randall	150.00
L. Waldo Bigelow, Jr.	63.00
Irving A. George	98.00
George Guimond	54.40
Paul E. Violette	96.00
John R. Hill	97.60
Thomas B. Henley	52.80
Charles A. Dow	16.00
Freeman West	54.50
John Jewell	11.20
Allison Mock	48.00
Richard Randall	19.20
Thomas Chandler	32.00
Donald Hall	104.00
Richard Cutting	68.80
Philip Rogers	70.40
Gerald Courser	54.40
Ronald Piroso	43.20
Fred Whitman	59.20
Ronald Dalrymple	32.00
Edward Monaghan	72.00
Peter Chalfant	84.80
Stuart Howlett	3.20
Robert Durgin	3.20
Peter Moyer	9.60
Winston Rogers	3.50
Dennis George	30.40
William Jewell	46.40
Silver Lake Hose Co.	198.75

1,676.55

Drills and Fires Expenses:

Laporte Skindiving	3.00
Warner Texaco	135.86

Paul E. Violette-Scott pack refill	2.00	
		140.86
Relief, Retirement & Insurance:		
Kearsarge Insurance Agency	1,049.97	
Silver Lake Hose Co. No. 1	24.00	
Silver Lake Hose Co. No. 1	144.00	
		1,217.97
New Equipment:		
American Fire Equipment Co.	232.38	
Middlesex Fire Equipment Co.	240.15	
		472.53
Supplies:		
Warner Texaco	3.75	
Allstate Gases	21.00	
John R. Hill	4.85	
		29.60
Maintenance of Fire Trucks:		
Hoaglands Auto Body	93.31	
Warner Texaco	117.50	
		210.81
Fire Station—Care of:		
Public Service Co. of N.H.	202.43	
Merrimack County Telephone Co.	169.49	
Warner Fuel Co.	357.37	
Silver Lake Hose Co.	75.00	
Paul E. Violette—plowing	94.50	
Warner Texaco	1.20	
		899.99
Radios:		
Maurice Randall	29.65	
Nuri Associates	81.50	
Evans Radio	74.49	
		185.64
Red Network—Merrimack County Tel. Co.		673.89
Social Security—State of N.H.		96.61

WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM

Salaries:	
John R. Hill	6.00
Caleb Whiton	6.00
Charles Hemphill (1971)	270.71
Robert Cutting (1971)	150.00
Charles Hemphill (1972)	450.00

Anthony Hamilton	100.00	
L. Waldo Bigelow, Jr.	100.00	
Emil Allen, Jr.	25.00	
Alfred White	75.00	
Barbara Annis	150.00	
		1,332.71
Expenses:		
Hopkinton Telephone Co.	32.45	
Alice Violette	30.00	
Adams Glass Co. (keys)	7.50	
Village Press	130.15	
Brown and Saltmarsh	4.53	
Richard Cogswell, P.M.	55.64	
Janet Moulton	3.50	
Monitor Publishing Co.	28.65	
Kearsarge Ins. Co. (bonds)	26.00	
Charles Hemphill (postage)	23.30	
Barbara Annis (postage)	29.55	
Bank of N.H. (service charge)	3.88	
N.H. Water Work Assoc. (dues)	15.00	
		390.15
Legal Fees		-0-
Social Security—Treas. State of N.H.		98.62
Treas. State of N.H. OASI Fund		1.00
Water Meter Reading		-0-
Refunds:		
Dr. Eileen Levis	2.15	
Leslie & Patricia Finch	73.20	
Town of Warner	500.00	
		575.35
Care of Water & Sewer Building:		
Warner Fuel Co.	57.08	
Public Service Co. of N.H.	42.54	
		99.62

OPERATION OF SYSTEM

Chlorination of Plant:	
James Vadnais	467.00
Freeman West	8.75
John Danais	285.00
Robert Skeldon	30.00

Wallace & Tiernan	9.15	
Public Service Co. of N.H.	127.71	927.61
Pumping Station—Public Ser. Co. of N.H.		135.71
Reservoir:		
Freeman West	18.75	
Charles Hemphill	32.25	51.00
Water Mains:		
Everett J. Prescott	232.28	
Fred Whitman—labor	25.00	
Richard Sandy	50.00	
Freeman West	41.25	
Hall Machine	6.70	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	2.52	357.75
Hydrants:		
Richard West	13.00	
Fred Whitman	23.00	
Freeman West	137.50	173.50
Sewers:		
Freeman West	80.00	
Fred Whitman	48.50	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	5.69	
Town of Warner	54.96	189.15
Meters—Freeman West		81.25
Sewerage Fund—Merrimack County Sav. Bank		500.00
Short Term Notes—Bank of New Hampshire		1,500.00
Long Term Notes—Bank of New Hampshire		2,950.00
Interest—Bank of New Hampshire		1,279.88
New Equipment:		
Sanel Auto	23.05	
H.R. Prescott & Sons Inc.	40.15	63.20
Study		-0-
GRAND TOTAL		\$16,690.95

WARNER FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

	1971	1972
Resuscitator Calls	10	12
Assistance to People		4
House Fires or Buildings	13	8
Auto Fires	6	3
Chimney Fires	2	6
Mutual Aid to Towns	3	5
Washed down gas	1	2
Rescue Call		1
Arson Fires	4	3
Mutual Aid Fire Drills		3
Meetings and Drills	24	24
Standby on Sunday (voluntary)	20	24
Civil Defense Warning Test (Tel. & Radio)	6	4
Transporting Patients	2	4
School & Club Visits to Fire Station	5	4
Dump, Wood & Grass Fires	11	6
Standby Mutual Aid	2	2
Fire Drills at Kearsarge Regional		
School Mutual Aid (12 men)	3	2
Fire School at Fire Station	40 hrs.	1
Control Burning of Buildings	2	0
Building Inspections	6	4
False Alarms	1	2
Put up Xmas Lights for Library		

The past summer the Fire Station was completely painted inside and kitchen cupboards made and installed by the firemen voluntarily.

I wish to thank the Police Department and the people of Warner for the fine cooperation extended the Fire Department.

Maurice F. Randall
Fire Chief

REPORT OF THE
FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND DISTRICT CHIEF

In New Hampshire, forest fire control is a cooperative State-town program. The Town Forest Fire Warden, appointed by the Director, Division of Resources Development upon recommendation of the Selectmen and the State's District Forest Fire Chief is responsible for fire suppression and other related duties. The State shares equally with the town in the cost of most forest fires, except illegal and careless fires, which are charged to the responsible party. The State further provides fire detection services, prevention programs, fire training for town wardens and crews, and back-up equipment for fire suppression.

By authority of the State, the Town Forest Fire Warden controls all outside burning in his town except backyard cooking fires. Any person wishing to kindle a fire when the ground is not covered with snow must obtain a fire permit, free of cost, from the Town Forest Fire Warden. No permits will be issued for fires between 9:00 P.M. and 5:00 P.M. unless it is raining, except for commercial purposes.

Please be careful when using fire, remember it can be an extremely useful tool when under control but once allowed to run wild it can become a disastrous and devastating force. Only you can prevent a forest fire.

Number of fires reported and acres burned—1972 season:

STATE	410 fires (361 acres burned)
DISTRICT	90 fires (135½ acres burned)
TOWN	2 fires (¼ acres burned)

DISTRICT CHIEF	FOREST FIRE WARDEN
Robert J. Burton	John R. Hill

REPORT OF WARNER POLICE DEPARTMENT Six Months, July to December

During the six months as Chief a few changes were made to benefit the Town and the Police officers. All the uniforms are now owned by the Town and all new badges were purchased so that the men would look alike in equipment and dress.

A police Blue Network was installed and each police officer has one in his home. The number is 456-3432 and should be used for all police matters. The department has young, willing men on it, and they have proved willing to work and learn.

Following is the activity of the department from July to December, 1972:

Miles traveled in cruiser	12,293
Hours of officers	1,625
Warnings	97
Suspicious vehicles checked	84
Defective equipment tags	88
Court cases	37
Accidents investigated	25
Hours on accidents	54
Motorists assisted	102
Hours Henniker District Ct.	23
Special Assignments	7
Hours special assignments	22
Number criminal investigations	69
Number criminal arrests	5

The above figures and hours do not reflect the number of times an officer off duty warned or gave assistance to a motorist or answered questions or complaints on his own.

I wish to thank the selectmen, officers and many townspeople for their help and cooperation during the last six months. Thank you!

Respectfully yours,

Peter Chalfant
Chief of Police

REPORT OF THE WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1972 \$108.69

RECEIPTS

February 11 \$500.00
 May 2 500.00
 September 11 500.00
 September 26 300.00

\$1,908.69

EXPENDITURES

Warner IGA \$186.86
 Fred Courser 30.00
 Warner Fuel Co. 12.75
 Contoocook Valley Fuel Co. 294.62
 Wycoff Consultants 300.00
 Austin-Cate Academy 562.50
 Foster Barnard 60.00
 Public Service Co. 121.42
 Richard Mailhot 85.00

\$1,653.15

Balance on hand Citizens National Bank Dec. 31, 1971 \$255.54

REPORT OF THE WARNER PLANNING BOARD

The Planning Board met monthly during 1972 with the exception of two summer months.

Early in the year, the Board resolved to restudy the zoning needs of the Town on a current basis and with the expectation of submitting recommended town-wide changes in the zoning ordinance at the 1973 Town Meeting. This simply didn't get done.

One step was taken to improve the zoning arrangement of the Town, however, and this was with regard to commercial property. As originally adopted, the only land zoned as commercial within the Town limits lays in three small areas: (1) the small area of business establishments on Main Street; (2) from Mill Street to Main Street along Depot Street; and (3) any area surrounding Exit 9 on I-89. Immediacy was given to the need for some change in the commercial zoning by an individual who expressed interest in setting up a commercial establishment on property not now zoned commercial if the zoning were changed to permit it. As a result, the Planning Board recommended a zoning boundary change to include an area which would fill in between the Depot Street commercial area and that at Exit 9 of I-89. Accordingly, two articles defining the new zone were drafted by the Planning Board and submitted to the Selectmen with the recommendation that a special Town Meeting be called. The Board conducted the required hearings on the amendments and they were approved at the special Town Meeting of July 6, 1972.

Commencing with the fall meetings of the Board, there has been an increasing number of Warner residents seeking approval for selling off a single lot from property which they own. Nine subdivisions of this type (known as "minor" since they involve less than four lots) were considered and approved by the Board in 1972. None were refused.

Interestingly, all applications and discussions re major subdivisions have originated with non-residents of Warner. Two major subdivisions, one involving six lots, the other thirteen or fourteen, came to the Board's attention in 1972. In the six-lot case, the potential subdivider has informed us verbally he is not planning to do anything at the present and will not complete his application at the present. The larger subdivision as initially proposed by the property owner was rejected by the Board before preliminary approval documents were completed because the applicant was unwilling to provide a street of adequate width into the property to be subdivided. It is expected he will submit new plans for subdividing the property in another manner.

A third and fourth major subdivision, each involving eight lots, are in the "pre-application" phase at this time.

The Board regrets that its former chairman, Mr. Paul Collins, felt personal demands on his time made necessary his resignation in the fall of 1972 after many years of active service on the Board. The Board also regretted the resignation submitted by Mr. John Jewell, which was occasioned by his move

from Warner. Mr. Jewell's vacancy was filled at mid-year by the appointment of Mr. Charles Eastley. Frequent evening work has made his attendance at Board meetings so difficult that he has resigned within the past several days. Late in December, the Selectmen appointed Mr. Robert G. Walker to fill out the balance of Mr. Collins' term with the expectation that Mr. Walker will accept reappointment to a full term commencing with 1973.

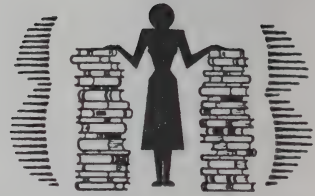
With the help of the Selectmen, one of the small rooms at the rear of the Town Hall basement is being fixed up as an office for the Planning Board and a file cabinet being acquired to make possible the proper organization of the rather voluminous documentation required in many of the subdivision procedures.

Your Planning Board members will welcome receiving from all interested citizens their suggestions as to how the Board may best serve the Town in the coming months. Our meetings are held on the first Monday of each month at 8:00 P.M. in the Town Hall and anyone may visit who desires to do so.

T.J. Bliss, Chairman
Edna C. Bartlett, Secretary
George Guimond
Gordon Smith
Robert G. Walker
Paul E. Violette, Selectman

February 8, 1973

REPORT OF THE
PILLSBURY FREE LIBRARY



The library circulated 13,657 books and 571 records last year. Only 216 books were purchased; less than half as many as the previous year.

Activities at the library were numerous. Pupils from the Simonds Graded school, as well as the kindergarten, visited on a regular basis. Film programs have been offered with partial success. Friends of the Library have been holding meetings and helping with the book mending.

During the summer the Trustees and staff of the library held two book sales. Book donations were received from many people making the sales very successful. We hope to continue the sales next summer and will be seeking more book donations.

Exhibits in the library have included:

- Graded school drawings for a book plate
- Anne Fenwick's drawings of horses
- Girl Scout week
- St. Patrick's day display of Irish articles
- 4-H Club Constitution week
- Arts and crafts display for National Library week
- Collection of shells
- Hobbies
- Christmas decorations

Respectfully submitted,

John Eastman
Chairman, Board of Trustees

PILLSBURY FREE LIBRARY
REPORT OF THE TREASURER
For the Year Ended December 31, 1972
GENERAL FUND

	Restricted for Books	General	Total
Cash Balance, January 1, 1972	\$ 667.84	\$1,041.37	\$1,709.21
Receipts			
Town of Warner—appropriation		5,368.22	5,368.22
Interest Concord Savings Bank No.2499		34.19	34.19

Trust Funds			
Runels	856.27		856.27
Cheney	62.02		62.02
Foster		189.17	189.17
Mitchell	10.25		10.25
Andrews	62.02		62.02
Redington	172.00		172.00
Foster			
Fines, Lost books	96.55		96.55
Gifts	35.00	10.00	45.00
Book Sale	182.83		182.83
Miscellaneous		28.45	28.45
Total Receipts	\$1,476.94	\$5,630.03	\$7,106.97
Total Available	\$2,144.78	\$6,671.40	\$8,816.18
Disbursements			
Salaries			
Librarian—Emily M. George		1,580.25	1,580.25
Ass't. Librarian—Doreen Zotto		675.50	675.50
Janitor—Irrving S. George		375.00	375.00
Janitor—George Guimond		83.32	83.32
Janitor—Richard Merrill		60.80	60.80
Fuel		305.67	305.67
Electricity		307.76	307.76
Water		50.00	50.00
Insurance		273.81	273.81
Telephone		156.97	156.97
Repairs and Improvements			
Rug		1,204.00	1,204.00
Miscellaneous		53.89	53.89
Supplies, dues, postage		127.07	127.07
OASI tax		144.34	144.34
Books, periodicals	866.03	400.00	1,266.03
Total Disbursements	\$ 866.03	\$5,798.38	\$6,664.41
Cash Balance, December 31, 1972	\$1,264.39	\$ 887.38	\$2,151.77

HERBERT N. LEWIS BUILDING FUND

	Principal	Income	Total
Cash Balance, January 1, 1972	\$2,000.00	\$ 476.95	\$ 2,476.95
Receipts:			
Interest, Merrimack County Savings Bank No. 46023		127.27	127.27
Cash Balance, December 31, 1972	\$2,000.00	\$ 604.22	\$ 2,604.22

Respectfully submitted,

Anna M. Allen
Treasurer

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS

We have examined the financial books and records of Anna M. Allen, treasurer, Pillsbury Free Library, for the year ended December 31, 1972. We have determined through inspection and explanation that the records are correctly cast and properly vouched with a cash balance at December 31, 1972, of \$4,755.99 of principal and income accounted for as follows:

GENERAL FUND

Concord National Bank —Checking Account	\$ 532.70	
Concord Savings Bank—2499	1,563.01	
Cash—Librarian	56.06	
		\$2,151.77
Herbert N. Lewis Building Fund		
Merrimack County Savings Bank—46023	\$2,604.22	
		\$2,604.22
		\$4,755.99

Mildred N. White
Richard U. Cogswell
Auditors

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WARNER, N.H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1972

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	S	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Mother	Birthplace of Mother	Birthplace of Father
Jan. 10	Concord	Donald Joe Salyer, II	M	Donald Joe Salyer	Carole Violet Mochrie	Warner	Mass.	Kentucky
Feb. 21	Concord	Cynthia Beth Collins	F	Paul Joseph Collins	Elizabeth Cleo Chandler	Warner	Mass.	Indiana
Feb. 21	New London	Anne Kathryn Campbell	F	Donald Williard Campbell	Patricia Ann Macan	Warner	Penn.	N.H.
Mar. 1	Concord	Susan Jean Spurlock	F	Earl Gilbert Spurlock	Marjorie Jean Smith	Warner	N.H.	W. Virginia
Mar. 12	Concord	Donald Junior Shaw	M	Donald Henry Shaw	Geraldine Anna Baird	Warner	N.H.	N.H.
Apr. 10	Concord	Matthew Shannon Rand	M	John Lloyd Rand	Carol Patricia Phelps	Warner	N.Y.	N.H.
Apr. 18	Concord	Stephanie Lynn Page	F	Thomas Kimball Page	Helen Chrystanthe Hines	Warner	N.H.	N.H.
May 7	Concord	Ann Marie White	F	George Walter White	Virginia Marjorie Laro	Warner	N.H.	N.H.
May 21	New London	Kimberly Lillian Nolin	F	Raymond Alexander Nolin	Nancy Nolin	Warner	Mass.	N.H.
June 21	Concord	Jason Allen Knapp	M	Robert Ai Knapp, Sr.	Florence Emma Dudley	Warner	N.H.	N.H.
July 3	New London	Herbert Woodrow Flanders	M	Edward Lewis Flanders	Marilla Agnes Temple	Warner	N.H.	N.H.
July 17	Concord	Cindy Lynn Bagley	F	James Howard Bagley	Sandra Louise Pattsfield	Warner	Maine	N.H.
July 19	Concord	Penny Sue Courser	F	Gerald Bartlett Courser	Judith Gail Hoyt	Warner	N.H.	N.H.
Aug. 12	Concord	Michael Scott Shampney	M	Edward Allen Shampney	Ethel Merlene Young	Warner	Maine	N.H.
Sept. 28	Concord	Corey Shane Hall	M	William Vincent Hall	Madonna Ann Nunn	Warner	N.H.	Vermont
Nov. 3	Concord	Eric John Eastley	M	Charles Paul Eastley	Gayle Lee Peck	Warner	Mass.	Florida
Nov. 10	Concord	David John Wachsmuth, Jr.	M	David John Wachsmuth	Judith Ann Witemeyer	Warner	N.J.	N.Y.
Nov. 30	Concord	Cari Ann Dahood	F	Douglas Michael Dahood	JoAnn O'Connell	Warner	N.H.	N.H.
Dec. 2	New London	Shannon Elizabeth Fortune	F	Stewart Allen Fortune	Cheryl Ann Downes	Warner	N.H.	N.H.
Dec. 4	New London	Jamie Sue Hill	F	Harold James Hill	Nora Etta Graziano	Warner	N.H.	Mass.
Dec. 27	Concord	Danielle Jo Salyer	F	Donald Jo Salyer	Carole Violet Mochrie	Warner	Mass.	Kentucky

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

NELLIE M. DOW
Town Clerk

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WARNER, N.H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1972

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at time of Marriage	Name of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons By Whom Married
Jan. 24	Merrimack	Leonard John Gray, Jr.	Warner	Leonard Gray, Sr. Eleanor Puffenburger Lawrence Rau Ida SanSoucie	Rev. Bruce E. Gordon, Minister Merrimack, N.H. 03054
Feb. 8	Warner	George Joseph Twomey, Jr. Mary Prather Lister (Prather)	Warner Warner	George J. Twomey Susan Anderson Lloyd R. Prather Evelyn Wilt	Nellie M. Dow Justice of the Peace Warner, N.H. 03278
April 8	New London	Charles Richard Peluso Valentina Anne Densmore	Northport, N.Y. Warner	Charles B. Peluso Philomena Mariani Charles R. Densmore Nora May	Francis B. Creaner, Jr. Rector St. Andrews Church New London, N.H. 03257
April 14	Warner	Lawrence J. Healey Joyce F. Rollins (Robertson)	Warner Warner	Edward M. Healey Helen L. Hicks Stephen Starkey Frances Robertson	William J. Medlock, Clergyman Warner, N.H. 03278
April 26	Concord	Arthur Stanton Colgate, Sr. Darlene Marie Dockham (Stoddard)	Warner Warner	William S. Colgate Emma Hudson James A. Stoddard Marjorie Carnes	Richard F. Beyer, Clergyman Concord, N.H.
July 15	West Swanzey	Thomas Leete Zimmerman Nancy Jane Farman	W. Swanzey Warner	Charles J. Zimmerman Louise Reiners Miller Farman Pearl Stevens	Rev. Charles S. Banks Clergy West Swanzey, N.H. 03469
Aug. 12	Tilton	Stuart Paul LaValley Barbara J. Reinhart	Tilton Warner	Ernest LaValley Olive Diagneau Albert Reinhart Olive Duffey	Rev. Warren J. Regan Catholic Priest Assumption Church Tilton, N.H.

Sept. 22	Bristol	William J. McLaughlin	Warner	Hugh J. McLaughlin Clara M. Cochran George W. French Flora O. Smith Winslow Eaves Frances Bayer Joseph F. Dorrington Mary Meyer Richard F. Merrill Doris Cutter ----- Dorothy Flanders Clinton B. Rogers Nellie E. Caldwell Timothy Joseph Sullivan Milbur Agnes Melville Paul H. Wilson Arlene Farnsworth H. Kenneth Keezer Elaine Paige Winifred Grandy Eleanor Smith Lawrence McAllister Cora Maltais Nathan Clark Clement Edna Marks Roger Lee Bassett ---- Beaupre	Rev. Ethel Lee Matthews Baptist Minister Bristol, N.H. Nellie M. Dow Justice of the Peace Warner, N.H. William J. Medlock Clergyman Warner, N.H. 03278 William J. Medlock Clergyman Warner, N.H. 03278 Nellie M. Dow Justice of the Peace Warner, N.H. 03278 John P. H. Chandler, Jr. Justice of the Peace Warner, N.H. 03278 Nellie M. Dow Justice of the Peace Warner, N.H. 03278
Sept. 23	Warner	Una V. Lasheway (French) Clifford Winslow Eaves Mary Lucille Dorrington	Litchfield W. Andover		
Sept. 23	Warner	William Leslie Merrill Bonnie Lee Flanders Winston Ellsworth Rogers Milbur Agnes Peirce (Sullivan) Don K. Wilson Shelly Ann Keezer Alan Breed Grandy Mary Ellen McAllister Conrad Clark Clement Claudette Maryon Turner (Bassett)	Madison Warner Warner Loudon Onset, Mass. Onset, Mass. Warner Concord Hyannis, Mass. Warner		
Oct. 14	Warner				
Oct. 28	Warner				
Nov. 3	Concord				
Nov. 25	Warner				

I hereby certify that the above return is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

NELLIE M. DOW
Town Clerk

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WARNER, N.H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1972

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Place of Birth	A	Place of Birth	S	M	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 18	Warner	Dorothy Somerby Donovan	75 Mass.	F	W	Bookkeeper	Edwin Somerby	Mary Poor		
Jan. 21	Concord	John Miller Shull	58	M	M					
Feb. 12	Warner	Ethel E. Merrill	91 Mass.	F	W	None	Charles S. Emmerton	Alice G. Perley		
Feb. 13	Winchester	Richmond Orday	85	M						
Feb. 16	Concord	Dorothy Hardy	72	F						
Feb. 21	Concord	Raymond Bertwill Eldridge	59 Mass.	M	M	Composer	Ralph P. Eldridge	Clara ----		
Mar. 4	New London	Susie M. Lister	71 Maine	F	W	Housewife	David Sutter	Clara Kempton		
Mar. 29	Warner	Ernest Elliot Holbrook	45 Rhode Isl.	M	M	Machinist	Elliot E. Holbrook	Eva Gavlin		
Apr. 9	Warner	Helen Louise Dudgeon	85 N.Y.	F	W	Housewife	Edward T. Latting	Elizabeth Wheeler		
Apr. 10	Warner	George Irving Panton	78 P.Edw. Isl.	M	M	Carpenter	Finlay Panton	Georgina ----		
Apr. 15	Warner	Earl Burns Frost	79 N.H.	M	M	Woodworker	Rudolph Frost	Beatrice Newsom		
June 17	Hanover	Arthur Edward Starkweather	65 Mass.	M	M	Commercial Printer	Don Starkweather	May Savage		
June 17	Concord	Oscar A. Hanson	75 Mass	M	M	Ret. Machinist	Charles Hanson	Johanna Nelson		
July 10	Hanover	Sandra Lee Anderson	21	F	M					
July 27	Concord	Verona Louise Wadsworth	87 Mass.	F	W	Housewife	Roland D. Grant	Mahala Bean		
Aug. 15	Concord	Katharine Winifred Henley	75 N.H.	F	W	Housewife	Herbert J. Bean	Mary Morrison		
Sept. 9	Concord	John C. Gorman	74 R.I.	M	M	Hospital Attendant	Peter Gorman	Mary Tierney		
Sept. 17	Webster	Madge Bonette	75 Okla.	F	W	Housewife	William A. Brasfield	Martha E. Thomas		
Sept. 17	Manchester	Leo John O'Connell	81 Mass.	M	M	Printer	Michael O'Connell	Anna Cotter		
Sept. 20	Clinton, Ma.	Cora Makepeace Flanders	76	F	W					
Sept. 21	Warner	Harvey O'Connell	65 N.S.	M	M	B&M R.R. Foreman	Rufus Connelly	Susan Smith		
Oct. 6	Concord	Elver Howard Rogers	75 N.H.	M	M	Woodworker	Clinton Rogers	Nellie Caldwell		
Nov. 13	Warner	Alma Marie Motttram	70 Mass.	F	M	Homemaker	Henry Pelletier	---- Mailleux		
Nov. 13	Nashua	Donald R. Estey	36 N.H.	M	M	Mgr. Transformer Mfg.	Raymond C. Estey	Eleanor C. Mount		
Nov. 18	Portsmouth	Elsie May Maxson	90 N.H.	F	S	Housekeeper	Henry Maxson	Nettie Johnson		
Dec. 2	New London	Clara Elizabeth Abbot	94 Mass.	F	W	Housewife	---- Shunk	---- Wegan		

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NELLIE M. DOW
Town Clerk

